

- **Non-Motor Vehicle Accidental Mortality Rate Per 100,000 Population** - The Meigs County trend decreased 62.8% over the twelve year trend period. The trend started with a three year average rate of 21.8/100,000 in 1983-1985 decreasing to 8.1/100,000 in 1992-1994, a rate below the State and the Southeast Region.

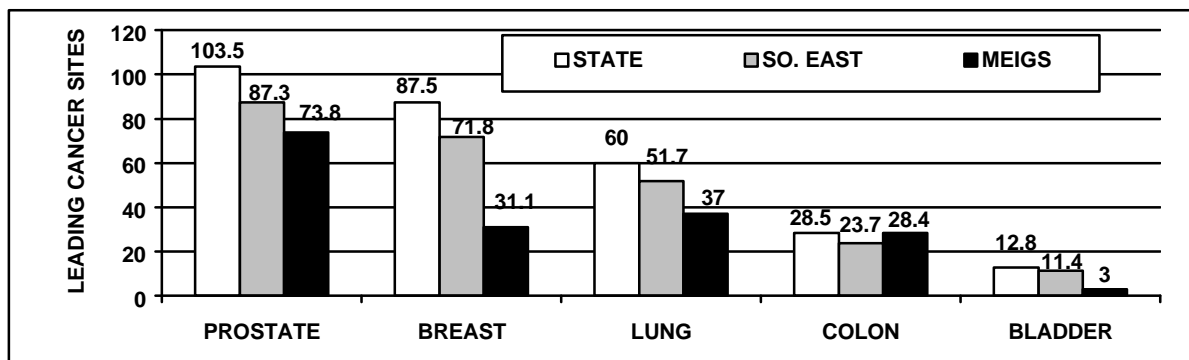
- **Violent Death Rates Per 100,000 Population** - The Meigs County trend decreased 53.4% over the twelve year trend period. The trend started with a three year average rate of 17.4/100,000 in 1983-1985 ending with a three year average rate of 8.1/100,000 in 1992-1994, a rate below the State and the Southeast Region.

## **Meigs Morbidity Experience**

- **Syphilis Rates (Number of Reported Cases Per 100,000 Population)** - Over the twelve-year trend, Meigs County has had no reported cases of Syphilis.
- **Chlamydia Rates (Number of Reported Cases Per 100,000 Population)** - Since 1987, Meigs County's trend has decreased steadily. The county rate has remained lower than the State and has recently dropped below the Southeast Region's rate. The 1987-1989 three-year average rate was 38/100,000 and the 1992-1994 three-year average rate was 28.7.
- **Gonorrhea Rates (Number of Reported Cases Per 100,000 Population)** - Over the twelve-year trend, Meigs County's rate decreased 92.2%. The 1987-1989 three-year average rate was 52.3/100,000 and the 1992-1994 three-year average rate was 4.1. The county's rates are lower than the Southeast Region (48.7) and dramatically lower than the State (309.3), and the national "Year 2000 Objective" (100).
- **Tuberculosis Disease Rates (Number of Reported Cases Per 100,000 Population)** - Meigs County's
- **Leading Cancer Sites 1990-1992** - The leading cancer site in Meigs County is in the prostate. The rates for colon cancer is equal with the State but slightly higher than the Southeast Region. The other cancer site rates are lower than the State and Southeast Region.

rates are unstable but are currently lower than the Southeast Region and the State. Throughout the twelve year time frame the rate has decreased 100% from a three year average rate of 13.1/100,000 in 1983-1994 to 0 in 1992-1994 and is now lower than the national "Year 2000 Objective" of 3.5.

- **Vaccine-Preventable Disease Rates (Number of Reported Cases Per 100,000 Population)** - The Meigs County trend has decreased and is lower than the State and Southeast Region .
- **Cancer Incidence Rates Per 100,000 Population (ALL Sites) 1990-1992** - The Meigs County rate of 296.3/100,000 is lower than the State rate of 380.3 and the Southeast Region rate of 331.5. Approximately, 26 cases of cancer are identified in Meigs County each year.



CANCER SITE	PROSTATE	BREAST	LUNG	COLON	BLADDER
STATE	103.5	87.5	60.0	28.5	12.8
SOUTHEAST	87.3	71.8	51.7	23.7	11.4
MEIGS	73.9	31.1	37	28.4	3